

FUEL FOR STEAMERS

BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES
26th February 1942

SEALED PROPOSALS endorsed "for fuel for steam vessels," will be received by the Bureau until the first of April next, for furnishing and delivering six hundred tons of the best quality bituminous coal, suitable for steamers.

Said coal must be as free as possible from sulphur, phosphorus, and other deleterious substances, and particularly from sulphur. It must be dry, clean, lump coal. If required by the Government, the lump must be separated from the fines.

fine after its delivery at the places designated by the expense of the contractor; and must be paid by the contractor, before it will be accepted by the bureau to inspect it, before it will be used by the United States.

One half to be delivered at such places as Erie, Pennsylvania; and the other half place at or near Cleveland, Ohio, as may be determined by the Department; and at least one quantity for each place to be delivered on the first of June next, and the remainder before the first of July next.

The price must be stated for the ton, two hundred and forty pounds, as weight accepted, at the places of delivery.

Satisfactory bonds, with two responsibilities in half the amount of the contract, will be required for its faithful performance, in addition to the sum of five per cent from the approved contract. The balance of five per cent will not be paid until the full cost of the contract, according to its terms; and ninety per centum will be paid to the contractor or his order, within thirty days after payment to such party as may be approved.

In case of failure on the part of the contractor and deliver the coal, within the time fixed, the bureau reserves the right to direct to be made to supply deficiencies; and the contractor and his sureties shall be liable for any advances over the contract prices; and the contractor, to be forfeited to the use and benefit of the United States.

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**Proposals for American Watt
Hemp.**

NAVY DEPARTMENT

Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and
March 1864

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited for proposals for hemp, for furnishing for the navy, six hundred tons of American-rotted hemp. The proposals will be received at the navy department, Washington, D. C., until 12 o'clock, noon, of the 15th inst. Persons offering may frame their proposals in any quantity, not less than ten tons, the navy agent, Charleston, Massachusetts, may be consulted as to the manner of doing so in Louisiana, or may be designated by the navy agent at New Orleans, Louisiana, Missouri. The whole quantity must be delivered before the first day of January next, and accompanied by satisfactory evidence that the proposals have been opened.

The hemp must be thoroughly dressed free from shivers, and must not lose more than ten per cent. of tow and waste when washed. The satisfaction of the inspectors, ready for inspection, must be obtained before the three-fourths of an inch in circumference, twenty-one yards, as prepared and tested by the inspectors, will bear a thousand two hundred pounds; and the satisfaction of the inspectors, or the chief of this bureau, must be obtained before the proposals can be received. It will be inspected and the respective places of delivery.

By the navy agent, Charleston, Massachusetts, as the case may require, will certify by the hemp agent or commandant of the yard, according to the provisions of the

Persons offering must state the price, words at length, asked per ton of 2,240 when delivered, inspected, tested, approved by the agent and inspector, and above specified, and must forward, with the contract, duly executed by the contractor, a bond, duly executed by the known responsibility, binding them to the performance of the offers if they should be awarded the contract.

Bonds to one-half the amount of the which may be made, with two good sufficient sureties, will be required for full execution, in addition to the deduction of 10 per cent from all bills paid before the

of the contracts, which deductions will be made from the amount fully completed in accordance with their terms.

Offers must be made in strict conformity with the terms of this advertisement; persons making them must state by what agency they are made, and be paid, if their offer is accepted, and at once, and the agent must be duly authorized by the agent to be sent for their signature; and if they also are to be executed within fifteen days after they are made by the agents, the department will consent to give liberty to accept other offers in place of those negotiated.

Those established once a week until the next, in the following papers, viz: Union, Cincinnati, Washington, D. C.; Statesman, Cincinnati, Ohio; Enquirer, Cincinnati, Ohio; Nashville, Tennessee; Appeal, Memphis, Tennessee; Democrat, St. Louis, Missouri; Sentinel, Indianapolis, Indiana; Commonwealth, Indianapolis, Indiana; Argus, Quincy, Illinois; Banner, Belleville, Illinois; Democrat, St. Louis, Missouri; Register, Springfield, Illinois; and St. Louis, Missouri, Inquirer, Jefferson.

Frankfort, Kentucky; Democrat, Louisville, Kentucky; Gazette, Lexington, Kentucky; Gazette and Advertiser, Burlington, Iowa; Milwaukee, Wisconsin; Banner, Little Kansas.

The papers containing the above advertisements will be forwarded to the bureau as evidence in litigation.

March 9—law4Apr30

NEW MUSIC, JUST RECEIVED

The following new music is this week on hand and for sale at a reduced price, at St. Louis, Pennsylvania avenue, second floor, west of the corner of the Wm. F. Hill building.

My Far Distant Home; words by Alton J. Forster; tune by J. W. Norner
Music from the Altar—duet; arranged by J. Norner
The Gipsy Girl
Thou art Lovelier; composed by Maria J. Norner
The Symphony of the North; composed by J. Norner
Young Bachelor's March; composed by J. Norner
Dodsworth
Monsieur Favourite des Chasseurs de Loups

Lancaster Fencible Quickstep
 Dalketh Waltzes; by Lazbety
 Medical Student's Waltz, and Govers
 Waltz; arranged by G. A. Reske
 The New Polka Waltzes; by A. F. R.
 Lancaster Favorite Waltz; by Jno. R.
 Lancaster Museum Waltz; by do
 Bronislau's waltzes; by Jos. Lobitz.
 Lo Sorriere des Ardennees—quadrille
 by H. Bohman
 March 14

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Opposite the P. O.

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next corner 44 street, and Penn

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